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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of )

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on: METHOD OF DETERMINING )  
TRANSMISSION RATE FROM A MOBILE )  
STATION TO A BASE STATION IN A )  
WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM )

Serial No.: 09/663,265 )

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 14, 2006, the Applicants request that the above-identified application be amended as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.